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For:	AROMATIC DIAMINE DERIVATIVES, THE PREPARATION THEREOF AND ALIGNMENT FILM MATERIALS CONTAINING SAME FOR LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY CELL	Dated:	February 10, 2005
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Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

Sir:

Pursuant to the Restriction Requirement imposed in the Official Action dated January 12, 2005, applicants provisionally elects the claims of Group II, i.e., Claims 7-9, for continued prosecution herein.

Claims 1-9 are present in the above-captioned application and have been subjected to restriction under 35 U.S.C. §121. Specifically, the Official Action avers that the following inventions are present in the claims:

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Group I, Claims 1-6, drawn to an aromatic diamine and a method of making,
classified in class 552, subclass 540;

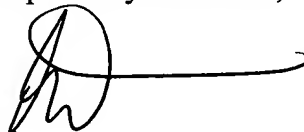
Group II, Claims 7-9, drawn to a polyimide resin, classified in class 528,
subclass 353; and

It is the Examiner's position that the inventions listed as Groups I and II,
are distinct from each other.

In response to the Examiner's requirement for restriction, applicants
provisionally elect to prosecute the subject matter of Group II, Claims 7-9. However,
applicants reserve the right under 35 U.S.C. §121 to file one or more divisional applications
directed to the non-elected claims in this application.

In view of the foregoing, an examination on the merits of the elected claims,
at an early date, is earnestly solicited.

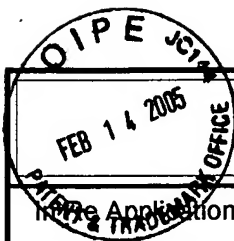
Respectfully submitted,

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Response to Restriction Requirement

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